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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Hansgeorg Schindler

Serial No.: 09/845,006

Filed: April 27, 2001

For: ARRANGEMENT FOR VISUALIZING
MOLECULES

Group Art Unit: 1639

Examiner: Jon D. Epperson

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED FEBRUARY 23, 2005

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated February 23, 2005 for which the date for response was May 23, 2005.

A request for a one-month extension of time to respond is included herewith along with the required fee. This one-month extension will bring the due date to June 23, 2005, which is within the six-month statutory period. Should such request or fee be deficient or absent, consider this paragraph such a request and authorization to withdraw the appropriate fee under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 from Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P. Account No.: No. 50-1212/SONN:010US.

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

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